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Manufacturing of High Speed Coaches
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Railways has decided to go ahead with the manufacturing of its own train sets that can run at a maximum speed of 160 kmph; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the production is likely to commence in full swing?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) Two Train sets have been included in production programme for 2017-18 for Integral Coach Factory (ICF), as a development measure.
(b) The train sets will have all modern facilities. Since this is a developmental activity being taken up for the first time by Indian Railways, the time for commencement of series production cannot be specified at this stage.

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